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Lewis Howell	211 Drumm St
Blockman & Corp	24 & 26 Cal ^{if} St
W T Holmes & Co	215 Market St
Edgelynn	1922 Pine St
Grading & McCune & Co	#213 Market Street
Lucas L. Co	215-217 Main Street
Wibson & Co	20 & 22 Drumm St
Pacific Bridge Co	10 Cal ^{if} Street
H C George	234 Shotwell St
Charles A. Parsons	14 Hill St.
W F Phelps & Co	158 Drumm St
W Hobron	No 1 Perry St
S J Weston	no 338 Kearney St

Relation in relation
to Mechanics & Eng

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F. H. Rosenbaum & Co. 567 Market St.

A. M. Fuhrmann (Pacific Wire Works) 757 Mission

John Wallace Porteous, Glacier Dupont St.

J. B. Keady Ross. Smith 310 Market St. S.F.

C. H. Krebs & Co. Sacto - Dealers in Paints & Oil.

Oscar Levy. Blinds 543 Market St. S. F.

E. Watts 806 Polk St

W. Macdonald Eureka Iron Works 535 Broadway St.

Gilbert & Co. 219, Bush St

Glaciers — { A. Davis 232 1/2 Market St.
B. Derry 327 Taylor St.

Albion Washburn, Stockton Mill - Benz St

Wells Russell & Co. Mechanics Mills

To the
Committee
on
Miscellaneous
Subjects

by
H. H. Smith

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Alexander McDonald Henry Jackson
B. M. Toman Wm. Larren
J. J. Ford
Frank E. Cotton
A. L. King
George W. Smith
A. L. Goffelmier
J. Macdonald
J. E. White
J. C. Lefebvre
C. H. Curtis
G. Sorensen
J. A. McLeod
J. H. Farns
E. C. Bridgman
R. E.ritchard
Thomas H. Good
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J. Chris. Hansen

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Laskell and Bode - 5th and Bryant, San Francisco
H. Allwood 5 and Bryant
Wm. Galbreath
H. Bode & co. Contractors
Gustav. Krohn 1429 1/2 O'Farrell St
A. Kuchling
Spencer Stelling 817 Capp St.
C. F. Moore and Bro 394 Fifth St

Larkin

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N. J. Wilson } 18 to 22
R. G. Springer } Drumm St
H. Wilson }
W. W. Leland } 200 Howard St
E. H. Kirtledge } 26 + 28 California
W. H. Ford } No 512 Broadway N.Y.
Joseph M. Chvaim Builder
Louise Crowley Binder
James Maguire Turner
John Mc Grath Marble works
P. Brady tin roofer
Copeland & Roberts Metal roofers
Henry M. Leue Builder

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John Jackson Hardware Dealer
White & Thomas Mill Men

B. H. Bond

R. N. Howes Market - St - Blacksmiths

James L. Mills Hardware & Stairs

M. Severy Real Estate

Badger Bros Paints and Cists

J. R. Clegg

Sawyer & Filer City of Law

J. H. Bond

H. S. Sargent, Farmer

Peckins Bros

Hammond Moore & Spaulding Rubber Ave

Wm. M. Dohmann Insurance Agent

Spry Ho

Wm. M. Bagg

Bar House

J. D. Depp

J. E. Stroughton

Simpson & Son

John Cairne Globe Iron Works

Mrs. Fisher

H. M. Fanning

Geo. W. W.

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Smith & Downs Bricklayers
Gladding McBean & Co. Sewer Pipe Dealers
Luttre Bros Brick Manufacturers
L. Leonard Bricklayer

Wm. Gross Bartlett St
G. H. & L. Lime Company 26 & 24 California St
W. H. Brennan N. 211 Clara St

Thos. Doyle 718 Treat Avenue
Ableason

J. Haas 576 Kearny St

Wm. E. Stevens 310 Montgomery St

P. Mallon Brick Manufacturer 817 Liberty Street

Joseph Kemp 2230 1/2 Mason Street

George Muller Builder 707 Utah Ave

J. Byron Bricklayer S. E. Cor

of 17th and Shotwell

Turner Kennedy & Shays Lumber Dealers 44 S. Channel

Moore, Miller & Gray Mechanics Drills or Machine Tools

B. Bonnet Back Tiller

W. Goran & Putter Bricklayers

E. W. Deegan Carpenter & Builder

Conlin & Roberts Roofers

Wm. M. Fletcher Builder

L. A. Sullivan Plasterer

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A. B. Rutherford
A. M. Gray
M. S. Jordan
A. Martin
L. G. Cole
J. S. Kinnear
D. Kraul

J. P. Baudin

W. B. Burz

J. R. Ellis

W. S. Oak

W. H. Lee

James Lohig

A. Robinson

D. D. Neer

John R. Kane

H. P. Meader

Wm. Stokes

H. A. Lutz

A. J. McKee

G.

E. Chamberlain
D. D. Hind
A. Snelgrove
Burnham Sandford & Co
Andrew Craig
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H. R. Brennan Mission St

No 24/7

James R. Cougherty & son Plasterer

William Keany Plasterer

John McDonald Plasterer

Augustus L. Maguire Plasterer

John Fraser

T. G. Maguire

John B. Walters

Albert Marsh Lumber Dealer

Ralph Flynn Contractor

Rufus K. Cain Contractor

John A. Collins do

W. Schwartz #

James Maguire Roofer

James E. Winter Asphaltum Layer

John McCann Contractor

Edward Buckley Bricklayer

C. Nutting Jr Iron Works.

D. Swannack Carpenter & Builder

L. H. Bibb Oils

John Wags Contractor

A. Hilkie Mechanic. Miller

J. Lowery Brn Pdr 749 Harrison St

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Oakland

James E. Blethen	Pioneer Plany Mills
B. F. Sturges	W. H. G. French
Walter Walker	E. H. Crocker
E. Child	Chas. Thurst
Joey Green	James Phillips
E. Pemberton	John W. Dacey
O. Button	P. J. Martin
H. F. Co. Butler	M. L. Broadwell
W. W. Martin	George Brendel
P. Bourquin	David Caig
John Parnes	James Bassett
James Bailey Jr	George Thom
	Chas. Chubb
Ed. H. Schneider	John D. Richards
James Taylor	Henry Martland
J. F. Towle	George Carroll
Robt. Swardwick	Edward J. Hunt
W. B. Miller	S. V. Manderville
E. E. Whitcomb	Geoff. Barnes
E. H. Lake	A. M. Chamberlain
John E. Watson	S. St. Cecil
James H. Butler	Noel Pissard
Theodor. Hermann	J. E. Blethen Jr
O. D. Bennett	E. C. Brown
Wm. McCarty	Henry Newhouse
J. L. Weilbye	

Thompson
Smith &
Larkin
Kenney

Two Petitions from
Citizens of
Hameda County
asking for a
Declaration in the
New Constitution
for a Mediation

Nov 24/78
Read & referred
to Com on
Miss Subject
E F Smith
and all

Walter Van Dyke

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James J. Deane
N. P. Langland & Co.
Willon & Drew
Arthur McGuire
Smith & Lebert
W. E. Smith

Memorial

Relative to
Lien Law

Dec 10. 98
Read & referred
to Com on Mercantile
Lien Law Subjects

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A. D. Perry
W. A. Seavey
Wm. Pincely
E. H. Fitch
Jas. Logan
J. M. Farwell
M. J. Finnigan
R. M. Murray
Alfred E & V Barker
A. A. Williamson

Petitions
For a declaration
in favor of a
mechanics lien

Dec 11/28
Read & referred
to committee
Subjects
E. J. Smith
added

Pan Syke

K. Parrish 318. Bedford St
J. Pepper 114 San Carlos St
J. M. Calver 40 Clementine St
Geo. H. Parry 1218 Union St
H. Lyman Delano St
J. E. Webster 513 Hyde St
L. Casey 781 Eddy St
W. J. Littlejohn 191 6th St
F. E. Bolcom Bernice St
W. P. Pendleton 518 12th St
J. M. Curtis 5140 12th St
Wm. J. Sutton 143 Natoma St
J. O. Corner 10 Hampton St
G. H. Manchester Bernal St
B. L. Case Lowell 743 Howard St
W. E. Peters 324 2nd St
O. H. Graft 515 1/2 Bond St
O. B. Thomas 29 St. Sanchez
In Lewis Grant Horner St
Frank P. Dyer
Guyford H. Goddard 914 Valencia St
J. Swift 303 Oak St
J. Carey Butte St
Hoy Cox 321 Capp St
L. J. White 427 Union St
C. L. Hubbard 1141 Tolson St

H. L. Weiss No. 10 Edgemoor St
W. A. Wigmore 129 Spear St
John Wigmore " " "
R. E. Corey 114 Spear St
L. W. Swan " " "
R. H. Ford 223 3rd St
C. H. Stoddard 1759 Townsend St
Jas. M. Kinnon 504 16th St
Custis McManis
J. M. B. Case
Lewis Albert No. 613, Pine St
J. W. F. Carham
W. J. Guinness 208 St
P. S. Deane Stewart St
James G. Gough 126 Gold St
Edmond 1121 Bay St
J. C. Will
John Larnham
P. R. Cunningham
A. W. Keeler
Garnett Cal Mills

S. W. Ross

Contractor

J. R. Wilcox

M. S. Lathan

Prescott Hanborn

California Planing Mills

Henny Klein

Alexander Christie

John Dickson

Am. Shagbroussy

James Young

James H. Brown

James A. Lagan

Nelson George

John Aselin

Charles Wilson

Geo. H. H. H.

Thomas "Beung"

Michael Barran

Otto "Gertzen"

Thomas Dickson

M. Heimann

Thomas Hatch

M. McDonald

J. W. Beane

Mr. McKinnis

J. W. Perry

F. Clark

Wm. Lorkham

D. Mather

Wm. H. Barnes

H. Brukenwagen

Wm. Lannon

John Mattson

James W. Stage

Thos. Searring

John Brown

John D. H. H.

F. J. White

J. Chat. C. Chamberlin

John J. Holland

E. P. Moody

M. Leach

S. Pivancet

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W. B. Briathory Centennial Planning Mill
 J. Ellsworth Lumber Dealer 5th Braman
 H. W. Rice Engine Works. 36 Blumest
 G. W. Harrison Lumber Dealer No 575 Braman St
 J. W. Small Machine works 574 Braman
 Charles H. Small 607 Folsome St
 Matthew Harris Steamtry for Centennial Mill Re. 1611 Mission
 John Robertson Foreman Centennial Mill
 James Gordon 26 Turbot St
 Timothy Sullivan 12 R. Boom
 Michael Barry 710 Howard St.
 L. Johnson 5 Folsome Ave
 L. Larson 422 Braman St
 C. Blotham 1212 Park Avenue
 Wm. Guilfoyle 444 Market St
 George Coombs 226 Austin St
 Wm. O'Brien 568 Mission St
 Chas. L. Ingh 854 Harrison St Oakland
 E. Hermode 40 Everett St S. Fran.
 Anton Steinbach Alabama St Bet 28 & 26
 Grant Miller 566 Brannum St
 Dominick Larsen No 9 Harlem Place
 Joseph Rodgers Braman St
 Joseph Baumeister 34 Harriet
 Fredrick H. Kleine 12 Langton St
 John C. Park 26th & Guerrero St

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Kingrodt & Branigan Bricklayers
Belky & Gump - Plaster
John B. Cavanagh - Bricklayer
D. Mulvaney Plaster
W. H. Thomas Plumber & Gasfitter
James McConn Contractor
John McGeary Builder
M. J. O'Brien Bricklayer
J. D. Robin Brick Dealer
J. Glassman Merchant
Thomas O'Keefe
W. H. Norton
C. L. Crisman Contractor
C. B. Elliot Builder
John M. Stockman Pattern Maker
R. Warren Architect
Wm. Vane Plumber
M. B. Richardson Contractor in Plastering
J. W. Ward Plumber
Reese Leavellyn Columbia Foundry
P. Brady Contractor
Thos. G. Carter Carpenter
John J. Gansau
John Blake Contractor

Petition

W. B. Bradley
and
49 others

In favor of
Lien for Merchants
and Material men

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